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SUBJ: ZUNO'S KIDNAPPERS ARRESTED

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1. STATE AND FEDERAL POLICE AUTHORITIES ANNOUNCED ON SEPTEMBER 26 THAT 14 OF THE 18 MEMBERS OF THE FRENTE REVOLUCIONARIO ARMADO DEL PUEBLO (FRAP) INVOLVED IN THE ZUNO KIDNAPPING OF AUGUST 28 (SEE REFAIRS) WERE APPREHENDED AND IN POLICE CUSTODY. A LARGE QUANTITY OF ARMS, CARS, AND TERRORIST EQUIPMENT, MOST OF WHICH WAS MANUFACTURED IN THE U.S., WAS SEIZED.

2. MANY OF THE SUSPECTS CONFESSED THEIR GUILT ON THE MAIN EVENING TELEVISION NEWS BROADCAST OF SEPTEMBER 26, ALSO DECLARING THAT NO REPEAT NO RANSOM WAS RECEIVED. THEIR PURPOSE IN CHOOSING ZUNO WAS THE HOPE THAT THE GOM WOULD CHANGE ITS POLICE BY PAYING A RANSOM AND RELEASING FRAP PRISONERS.

3. FURTHER INFORMATION CONCERNING THE KIDNAPPING OF PEDRO SARQUIS MARREWE IN JUNE 1974 AND AMERICAN CONSUL GENERAL TERRANCE G. LEONHARDY IN MAY 1973 IS EXPECTED TO BE FORTHCOMING FROM THE FRAP PRISONERS, SOME OF WHOM HAVE UNCLASSIFIED

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INDICATED THEIR PARTICIPATION.

4. CREDIT IS GIVEN TO ASSISTANT CHIEF OF THE DIRECCION
FEDERAL DE SEGURIDAD, MIGUEL NAZAR HARO, AND TO THE PROCURADOR
GENERAL DE JUSTICIA EN EL ESTADO, ADOLFO RENTERIA AGRAZ, FOR T
THEIR INVESTIGATIVE POLICE WORK.

5. STILL AT LARGE ARE JESUS PACHECO VELAZQUEZ, JOSE GODINEZ
ESPINOZA, RAMON CAMPANA LOPEZ, AND FRANCISCO JAVIER
MARTINEZ MEJIA.
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